

mother two punches. M.: *Hullo ! What's that for* ^P *Spitting*
 on R.'s head. *Stop that, U.* I'll spit on her food !
Then ^I *won't have you in here while I'm feeding her. It's a*
pity ^{because} *I like having you. I'll do it all the same! I'll . . .*
 (something or other). *Can't you think of*
anything ^{else} *to* ^{do} *that I wouldn't like* ^P Yes, lots of things ! *What* ^P
Throwing
 over the chairs and throwing everything about!
And ^{if} *you do that, d'you think I'll be pleased* ^P
No. ^{And} ^{if} *I'm not pleased, how will you feel? I'll be*
unhappy.
Look here, U., if you turn more somersaults, I can
watch ^{you} *even if I'm feeding R. She'll soon be finished and*
then ^{I'll} ^{give} *her to nurse to put in her cot and help you to*
turn ^a ^{back} *somersault.*

U. wasn't in a very happy mood and later
 when ^{her} ^{mother}
 went in to kiss her good-night she was lying on
 her ^{face} ^{on} ^{her}
 bed and crying. M.: *What's the matter, U. ?* (Her
 mother ^{had}
 visitors coming.) U.: I wish I had visitors coming
 to ^{see} ^{me}
 like you. *But you do have your friends coming*
to ^{see} ^{you.}
 I want visitors like you, now. Well, your friends
 are ^{all} ⁱⁿ ^{bed}
now and my visitors haven't come yet. The only
visitor ^{here} ^{now}
is R. Would you like her to come up to see you ^P
No. ^I ^{want}
 visitors like you and friends. *But you've got lots*
of ^{friends.}
And Mummy loves you very much, isn't that as
good [?] ^{No} [!]
 I liked my party better. Well, you're having
another ^{party}
soon, U. (cheering up): When ? In about
weeks' ^{time} ^{it's}
your birthday. Five weeks to be exact. (This was
the ^{turning}
 point and after this U. became more cheerful.)

(4;10) U. wanted a third tangerine for her
 supper. ^{Her}
 mother thought she was doing this only to drag
 out ^{the} ^{time,}
 and her own supper was waiting, so she said
 she ^{couldn't}
 spare another, she was keeping the others for
 U/s ^{waking-up}
 fruit. U. did her best to get her mother to
 change ^{her} ^{mind}
 by weeping, coaxing, etc. Then said, " I'll go
 away ^{from} ^{you.}"
What, now ^P Yes. *You can't now. I will! . . . U.,*
 again, in a small, weepy voice: " I'll go away
 from ^{you!}"
 (Pause.) " And you won't like it." (Pause.) In

a still
smaller and more pathetic voice: " And / won't
like it! "

Playing with R., tender, delighted, amused:
"I *do* think
she's a sweet thing ! "

(4;io) U. was holding R. and found her heavy
to manage.

Nurse: *You remember she was much littler when
you used to hold
her.* Well, as she grows, I grow too, so I'll be able
to hold her
even when she's fourteen.

(4;n) U,: " I think it's nice to have a little
sister

It's a good thing, because if a friend had a sister
and she came
to stay with us, we wouldn't know how to treat
her."